

REMARKS

The specification has been amended to update application number 10/318,586, which has issued as U.S. patent No. 6,748,041 B1. The specification has also been amended to correct informalities.

A terminal disclaimer has been filed in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.321(c).

OBJECTION TO THE SPECIFICATION

The Office Action objected to the specification by requesting that the reference to application No. 10/318,586 be updated to indicate that this application had issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,748,041 B1. Applicant has so amended this reference. Accordingly, Applicant respectfully requests that this objection be withdrawn.

DOUBLE PATENTING REJECTIONS

The Office Action rejected claims 1, 4-5, and 7-8 on the ground of nonstatutory double patenting over claims 15, 17, 19, 20, and 18 of U.S. Patent No. 6,748,041. Applicant has filed a terminal disclaimer disclaiming any term of the present Application beyond the term of U.S. Patent No. 6,748,041. Accordingly, Applicant respectfully requests that this rejection be withdrawn.

The Office Action also rejected claims 1, 4, and 7 on the ground of nonstatutory double patenting over U.S. Patent No. 6,526,113. Applicant has filed a terminal disclaimer disclaiming any term of the present Application beyond the term of U.S. Patent No. 6,526,113. Accordingly, Applicant respectfully requests that this rejection be withdrawn.

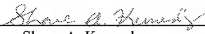
CONCLUSION

Applicant respectfully submits that the claims are in condition for allowance and earnestly requests notification to that effect. The Examiner is invited to telephone Applicant's attorney (208-286-1013) to facilitate prosecution of this application.

If necessary, please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-3521.

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